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Copies of the following references are provided for the examiner's careful consideration:

U.S. 4,672,028;
U.S. 4,824,986;
U.S. 4,880,008;
U.S. 4,899,755;
EP 0 165 716;
EP 0 263 059;
EP 0 299 795;
EP 0 305 320;
EP 0 315 220; and
WO 88/07521.

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Enclosed is a copy of the search report for European patent application EP 90 25 0165 which corresponds to great-grandparent application 07/544,530, filed June 28, 1990. Five of the references listed in the search report are category "X" type references.

EP 0 315 220 corresponds to U.S. 4,824,986. The comments in the search report regarding EP '220 translated into English are "page 7, column 2, line 25-page 8, column 2, line 17; Examples 1, 7, 9-11, 16."

WO 88/07521 is a PCT application corresponding to U.S. patent application Serial No. 07/430,442, now abandoned. U.S. patent application Serial No. 07/715,713 is a continuation application thereof. The comments in the search report regarding WO '521 translated into English are "the entire document."

EP 0 305 320 corresponds to U.S. patent application Serial No. 07/237,012. The comments in the search report with respect to EP '320 translated into English read "the entire document."

U.S. 4,672,028 corresponds to EP 0 165 716. The comments regarding EP '716 set forth in the search report, when translated into English, read "Examples 1-4."

The comments in the search report regarding EP 0 299 795 are "pages 28-31; Examples 2-5, 7-11."

EP 0 263 059 is cited in the search report as a category "A" type reference. The comments regarding this reference in the search report, when translated into English, read "the entire document."

U.S. Serial No. 07/100,681, now abandoned, corresponds to EP 0 263 059. U.S. patent application Serial No. 07/614,947 is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 07/494,803, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 07/100,681. Serial No. 07/569,132 is a CIP of Serial No. 07/494,803, and Serial No. 07/725,808 is a CIP of Serial No. 07/569,132.

The final reference listed in the search report is DE 34 01 052. U.S. 4,647,447, as well as U.S. 4,963,344, U.S. 4,957,939, and U.S. 5,021,236, claim foreign priority based on DE '052.

Also enclosed is U.S. 4,899,755 which was submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement on March 20, 1991, in great-grandparent application Serial No. 07/544,530 and U.S. 4,880,008 which is a CIP of U.S. '755.

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